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Amendments To The Claims

The listing of claims presented below will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A method for realizing data security storage and algorithm storage by means of a <u>removable</u> semiconductor memory device, wherein the semiconductor memory device comprises a controller module as well as a universal interface module and a semiconductor storage medium module electrically connected with the controller module, respectively, <u>wherein the semiconductor storage medium module comprises one or more semiconductor chips</u>, characterized in that the method comprises the steps of:

dividing the semiconductor storage medium module into at least two logic memory spaces;

using at least one of the logic memory spaces for storing data to be protected, wherein data to be protected comprises an algorithm;

setting up and storing a password for the semiconductor memory device and said at least one logic memory space;

certifying the password before read/write operation;

when writing the data to be protected in the semiconductor memory device, the controller module receiving the data from the universal interface and, after encrypting the data, storing the encrypted data in the semiconductor storage medium module; and

when reading the data to be protected from the semiconductor memory device, the controller module decrypting the data and transmitting the decrypted data via the universal interface[[,]];

wherein at least one of the logic memory spaces is used for storing an algorithm, when executing an algorithm stored in the semiconductor storage medium module, the controller module receiving an algorithm invoking parameter from the universal interface, decrypting the algorithm corresponding to the algorithm invoking parameter, executes a designated executing the decrypted algorithm according to input data from the universal interface, and transmits transmitting a result of the execution via the universal interface.

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2. (Canceled)

- 3. (previously presented) The method for realizing data security storage and algorithm storage by means of a semiconductor memory device of claim 1, characterized in that the semiconductor storage medium module comprises a storage medium, or a combination of at least two storage media.
- 4. (previously presented) The method for realizing data security storage and algorithm storage by means of a semiconductor memory device of claim 1, characterized in that the semiconductor memory device and said at least one logic memory space set up at least two levels of users passwords.
- 5. (previously presented) The method for realizing data security storage and algorithm storage by means of a semiconductor memory device of claim 4, characterized in that certification of user passwords is implemented before operation in all logic memory spaces, or before operation in the logic memory spaces storing the data to be protected.
- 6. (previously presented) The method for realizing data security storage and algorithm storage by means of a semiconductor memory device of claim 1, 4 or 5, characterized by setting up a database, and conducting access and authority management to the data to be protected by way of the database.
- 7. (previously presented) The method for realizing data security storage and algorithm storage by means of a semiconductor memory device of claim 6, characterized in that the authority comprises reading authority, writing authority, modifying authority, deleting authority and executing authority, each authority having the meaning of:

Reading authority: only allowing reading record data in the database;

Writing authority: only allowing writing new data in the database, but not covering the record data with the same record title;

Modifying authority: only allowing writing data in the database and covering the record data with the same record title:

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Deleting authority: allowing deleting the database or records therein;

Executing authority: allowing executing record codes in the database, which is an authority with respect to a self-defined algorithm or function code and it is invalid to designate an executing authority for normal record data.

- 8. (previously presented) The method for realizing data security storage and algorithm storage by means of a semiconductor memory device of claim 1, characterized in that at least one of the logic memory spaces is used for storing data that does not need protection.
- 9. (previously presented) The method for realizing data security storage and algorithm storage by means of a semiconductor memory device of claim 1, characterized in that an anti-falsifying identification is performed to identify whether the transmitted or stored data is falsified or not.
- 10. (previously presented) The method for realizing data security storage and algorithm storage by means of a semiconductor memory device of claim 9, characterized in that during transmitting or storing data, the anti-falsifying identification comprises the steps of:
- A. invoking an encrypting algorithm to convert original data to obtain a conversion value X;
- B. packing the original data and the conversion value X according to certain a format to form a data package;
- C. transmitting or storing the data package; and during receiving or reading data, the anti-falsifying identification method comprises the steps of:
- A. unpacking the data package according to the format to obtain the unpacked original data and the conversion value X;
- B. invoking the encrypting algorithm-to calculate a conversion value of the unpacked original data to obtain a conversion value Y;
 - C. comparing the calculated conversion value Y and the conversion value X to

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see whether they are equal to each other;

- D. if the compared result is that Y and X are equal, indicating the data that have has not been falsified, and otherwise indicating that the data has been falsified.
- 11. (previously presented) The method for realizing data security storage and algorithm storage by means of a semiconductor memory device of claim 1 or 9, characterized by using randomly changeable session key to encrypt the data during the data transmission.
- 12. (previously presented) The method for realizing data security storage and algorithm storage by means of a semiconductor memory device of claim 11, characterized in that the step of using randomly changeable session key to encrypt data comprises the steps of:
- A. at the beginning of the data transmission, transmission end transmitting a request of exchanging session key and introducing at least one random number;
- B. after receiving the exchanging session key request, the semiconductor memory device randomly creating at least one random number, converting the received random number and the created random number by a key generating algorithm to produce a session key, and then returning the random number created by the semiconductor memory device to the transmission end;
- C. after the transmission end receives the returned random number, converting the returned random number and the random number introduced by the transmission end itself with the key generating algorithm to produce the session key.
- 13. (previously presented) The method for realizing data security storage and algorithm storage by means of a semiconductor memory device of claim 1, characterized in that the data to be protected include documents, passwords, cipher keys, account numbers, digital certificates, encrypting algorithm, self defined algorithm, user information and user self-defined data.

14 - 20. (canceled)